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FEATURES OF A WET ELECTION. Some of the Incidents Noted During the Progress of the Polling.

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The driving rain of the forenoon was the estimated at noon that only from 10,000 to 12,000 voters would indicate their choice for municipal officers.

One result of the rain was the featureless character of the voting. Few of the workers had sufficient enthusiasm to keep them standing in the drenching rain, and with the exception of the few voters and the chal-lengers, there was scarcely anyone around the pooths. For this reason the election proceeded more quietly than usual and no disturbances of any kind were reported during the morn-

The day was disagreeable for the judges and clerks of election as well as for the voters who were compelled to travel through Many of the booths have seen their best days and the rain sceped in through the leaky roofs with a persistence that def. d all efforts at protection. In some of the booths a lot of umbrellas were put up over the books, but even then the big drops ran down and played havoc with the records. The drops that fell on the books left them wade ankle deep to reach the door. It soaked in under the sides and covered the floors with a mass of sticky mud that eventually was transplanted to the furniture. A force of notaries were on hand at the city clerk's office to issue certificates to voters

who had failed to register.

The various election boards in the First ward performed their duty in a perfunctory manner when voters happened in and sat and told stories when voters were absent. At noon secreely 500 votes had been polled in the entire ward and in some precincts only thirty or forty had voted. Up to that to materialize.

of the city from a political standpoint, and the voting was much faster than in other wards. The dive keepers who had been promised all the liberty they want in INTENT REGULATES CITIZENSHIP. case of Howell's election were using every possible means to further Howell's cause, but Important Point Decided by United they encountered a stubborn resistance and were unable to gain an advantage.

In the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth wards the vote was very light until afternoon. When the rain had stopped the voters began to get out and a livelier time was had before

Sheeleytown, which has generally been conceded to Howell because of his acquaintance | Arapahoe

Now

Is the time when you should take a Spring Medicine to purify your blood, give you good appetite, sound sleep, steady nerves and perfect digestion. That scrofulous taint, that skin trou-

ble, that liver difficulty, that bihous Take tendency, that tired feeling, are

all cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Give this medicine a fair trial and you will realize its positive merit. It is not what we say, but what the people who are cured say, which proves that

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there, did not roll up a very large vote.

from the Irish population. This element cut Howell badly, fully one-half casting their ballots for Moores. The vote so far cast looks well for Moores, he being shead of the fusion candidate for the mayoralty at l o'clock. Despite the heavier vote that was in this ward the polling was conducted

In the Ninth ward an extremely light vote is being polled. A well known politician of the Ninth ward said at noon: "There's one thing that you may safely wager your money on-that there will be more voters in this ward not voting than ever before."

VOTE BY WARDS. Following are the details of the vote by wards for the several candidates:

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GOTHAM WHEAT MARKET ERRATIC

May Option Declines and Rallies Som at the Close. NEW YORK, April 20.-There was disap-

pointment in the Liverpool cables this morning. Instead of responding freely to the American advance of about 51/2@6c a bushel since Thursday they only gained about 4%c. This was the signal for heavy unloading in he market, "eleventh hour bulls," foreign The drops that fell on the books left than Prices at the opening dropped with a fin a terrible condition and some of them Prices at the opening dropped with a can scarcely be deciphered. In some cases May to 79½c and July to 78½c, representing a decline of 2½c to 2½c from last night. was followed by a second break to 79 4c and then by nervous fluctuations within a comparatively small range at midday. in the afternoon a scare of shorts lifted prices a ent a bushel, May selling up to 80%c, with a final reaction to 80%c, which was the closing figure. The covering was based on an advance of five or six marks at Berlin since Saturday, strong French markets, umors of a big export demand and a reducion of 319,000 bushels in world's wheat

stocks last week. Transactions were very heavy during the time the advantage that had been claimed day, but except at the immediate opening and on campaign managers had failed close yesterday's intense strain and excitethe Second Frank Kaspar's street west and from Europe as well was distinctly gang was much in evidence, the blue barrel bullish, encouraging purchasers during the brigade being drafted in to plug for Howell day on the idea that wheat was well worth in nearly every district in the ward. Third ward was the liveliest section aid of European war influences. Last prices

States Court of Appeals. ST. LOUIS, April 20.—The United States court of appeals in the case of Atterson W. Rucker against Richard Bolles, which was appealed from the Colorado court, reversed decision of the lower court, which was That part of the Seventh ward known as in favor of Bolles for \$70.040, and granted a new trial. The plaintiff is a resident of Arapahoe county, Colorado, and the de-fendant lives in New York. Judge Thayer in rendering the decision said in part: "The court committed an error in permitting plain-tiff to testify as to his citizenship. Citizen-ship is largely a matter of intention. When a citizen of a state has removed to another state, it is a very common practice to permit him to declare what his intentions are with respect to making the latter state his permanent place of abede. It is his intention permanent place of abede. It is his meaning that John Joseph Nouri, the deposed and to make the place to which he may have that John Joseph Nouri, the deposed that his removed his permanent place of demicile the Chaideans, has been recognized and that the claims have been recognized and that the claims have been recognized and that the his former regidence.

Working Night and Day. NASHVILLE, April 20 .- Work both night and day will be pushed at the Centennial exposition grounds for the coming two weeks. exposition grounds for the coming two weeks. All the principal buildings, except the government and the Hygie, are completed and exhibits are being placed. Hanging pictures, of which there are more than 1,000 to select from, is now in progress in the Parthenon and if the weather permits on the opening day the exposition will be more nearly completed than any one ever before held in this country. One hundred and seventy-eight country. One hundred and seventy-eight Chinese who will occupy the Chinese village arrived today. The state exhibit of Georgia

has been received and is ready to be put in place and the buildings are filling rapidly. Note to Foreign Ministers. ATHENS, April 20.—The government has ATHENS. April 20.—The government has addressed a cote to the foreign ministers and consuls in Greece, calling their attention to the fact that Greece has adhered to the declarations of the Berlin congress of 1850

there, did not roll up a very large vote. This is Howell's home ward and it thoroughly repudlated him, giving a majority that elected Moores. Even Howell's home precinct voted for his opponent.

In the Eighth ward the vote polled was heavier than in any of the other wards in the northern portion of the city. At 1 o'clock it was reported that a total of 744 votes had been cast. The registration was in the neighborhood of 1,900 or 2,000. The fusionists in this ward fell down easily in feared. At Hannibal, above here, where the feared. At Hannibal, above here, where the was ing a higher edge, abother advance.

The reared. At Hannibal, above here, where the republicans and three democrats. funionists in this ward fell down sadly in river shows a rise of 0.4 feet, Pearl island the estimate of the votes they would receive a grain submerged the only visible objects is again submerged, the only visible objects being the tops of trees and houses. Bay inhabitants excepting two families have moved off for the second time this season. The track of the St. Louis, Keokuk & North vestern railroad is under water to the depth of three inches in some places within distance of two miles above Canton, but the track is on rock and it will take a rise of two feet more to prevent the running of

subsided. The fine weather has given ample the levees at night to prevent the other state delegates are to be appointed by the fellows from cutting them. With three governor to attend a future meeting, at breaks in Louisiana added to those in Mississippi the situation should be somewhat relieved, but the crest of the flood wave the case before the State Board of Transsissippi the situation should be somewhat relieved, but the crest of the flood wave has been lost somewhere and fears will not allay until the gauges show a drop of at

AT LEAST ONE FAMILY IS DROWNED.

Water Rushes Into Bayon Videl With out Any Warning. NATCHEZ, Miss., April 20.-A terrible Railroad company against whom suit had tale of woe comes from Bayou Videl, in the lower portion of Madison parish. The water from the Biggs crevasse caught the people there unprepared and unaware of danger. Word was sent out from that locality requesting that boats be sent there at once, as the people were drowning. How many were actually drowned is not known, but Thomas Blackman, his wife and infant are known to have been drowned and T. P. Kells came near losing his life in attempting to save them. It is believed others have perished Boats have been sent to the fated locality

Railroad Tracks Still Under Water. LEAVENWORTH, April 29.-The Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs and the heard tomorrow, Chicago Great Western railways continue to use the Missouri Pacific tracks between here and Atchison. On the government reserva-tion about 300 yards of the track is covered with water from four to ten inches deep and there is much danger of it being washed out. The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific has abandoned running trains in. The Terminal company is strengthening the rail road dump between the new bridge and Stillings, Mo., working day and night.

Missouri Falling at Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, April 20,-Weather Observer Connors' prediction of a fall in the Wood River had held a postmortem exami-Missouri was verified, the river having re- nation of the remains of Kinney. Missouri was verified, the river having receded 0.1 of a foot since yesterday. This morning the government gauge registered twenty-two feet, and all indications point to a further fall from now on. High winds during the night brought the mark up to 22.6. but there was in fact no additional volume of water. Harlemites have now ceased to fear the flood, and packing houses along the banks are experiencing no serious trouble.

Standing of the Rivers. WASHINGTON, April 20 .- The following changes in the rivers (in feet and tenths) have occurred: Risen-Kansas City, 0.5; Keokuk, 0.2. Fallen-Cincinnati, 1.4; Cairo; Crosse, 0.2; Dubuque, 0.4; Memphis, 0.1; Vicksburg, 0.2. They are above the danger line and rising at Kansas City, 1.6; Keokuk 1.5; New Orleans, 2.9. stationary. Above the danger line and falling: Cairo, 6.8; La 1.8; Dubuque, 1.6; Memphis, 2.5; Vicksburg, 10.7.

Travel Badly Demoralized. BOISE, Idaho, April 20 .- Travel on the Pregon Railway & Navigation company's ine is badly demoralized. There has been o train from Portland since Saturday and here is no immediate prospect of resump-A number of bridges are reporte washed out between Huntington and Baker

TRUTH STRANGER THAN FICTION

Former Inmate of a Mad House Nov Living in Oriental Splendor. SAN FRANCISCO, April 20 .- The strangeness of truth has often been commented upo as exceeding the most fanciful flights of fiction. An illustration of this is furnished in the career of John Joseph Nouri, who has been crowned patriarch at the Chaldean pontifical cathedral at Trichur, Malalar, and is ruler over Syrian Chaldeans. Four years ago he was committed by Judge Walter H Levy to the asylum for the insane at Nap. and there he remained until September, 1893, when, by the efforts of M. M. Foote, president of the California Association for Protection of Persons, he was restored to

Presbyterian minister in this city, now o D. C., is credited with having learned the facts in a letter from Rev. John H. Barrows of Chicago, who is at present traveling in India. On June 23, 1892, there arrived in this city from India a man who, by his dress, his manner and his speech, was easily recognized as an Oriental religious student. Not less remarkable than his ap-pearances was the story he told. He claimed to have discovered the remains of Noah's ark on the summit of Mt. Arrarat. When released from the asylum Nouri claimed to have been robbed of four medals

studded with diamonds, valued at \$2,500, the Greek, and in Washington, D. C., at the Smithsonian institute translated the hicroglyphics on some tablets there with surprising case. Intent on making his fourney around the world, he traveled on to London, and from there came in 1893 the London, and from there came in 1893 the story that he intended to sue the United States government for \$5,000,000 damages for his ill-treatment while on his sojourn here. Now comes the climax to the story in the man who was booked as "unkempt and with the lack luster eyes of a lunatic" is living

in splendor in a palace in Trichur. Stockholders Oppose Assessment. NASHUA, N. H., April 20.-Holders of 431 chares of stock of the failed Sloux City National bank of Sioux City, Ia., have received notice from W. H. Farnsworth, the attorney for the receiver, that suit would be instituted against them in the United States courts to omosi them to show cause why they should not pay an assessment of \$75 per share was levied for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of the bank, the affairs of which are now going through the winding cess. The local stockholders will fight the

Cannot Find Mrs. Austin. LOS ANGELES, April 20.-Sheriff Burr has received a telegram from the sheriff of Hood's Pills care Lizer lils; easy to and expressing the hope that foreign govern- has not yet succeeded in locating Mrs. Australian that the child.

MISSOURI IS FLOODED. OUTLINES TOF INVESTIGATION

Some of the Details.

Expert Accountants Who Want to Assist in other Work Offer Their Services font None Are as

two feet more to prevent the running of trains.

The usual daily report of the local weather bureau, issued this morning, makes the following prediction: The river at St. Louis well continue to rise slowly, but in the absence of heavy rain cannot reach twenty-eight continue to rise slowly, but in the absence of heavy rain cannot reach twenty-eight continue to rise slowly. South of Keckuk, but will probably come to a standay (this is two feet before Priday night or Saturday (this is two feet before Priday night or Saturday (this is two feet below the danger line). The Mississippi will continue to rise slowly, south of Keckuk, but will probably come to a stand as far south as Hannibal during Wednesday night.

STILL ANXIOUS AT NEW ORLEANS.

Armed Guards Patrol the Levees to Prevent Their Heing Cut.

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returned today from Texas, where he had opportunity for hard work and provides an been in a semi-official capacity attending outlet for the general excitement. Thou- a preliminary meeting of the officials of sands of men are at work in the city and southern railroads, the object of the meet-Besides the constant strengthen- ing being to look toward the general lowering of the banks many armed men patrol ing of freight rates to the gulf seaboard. State delegates are to be appointed by the

ortation involving the freight rates on coal rom Panama, Mo., to this point was called up this forenoon and the testimony of Frank Williams, vice president of the Arthur Coal Mining company of Panama, was heard. The case was then continued by agreement until Wednesday, April 28. James W. Orr appeared as attorney for the Missouri Pacific

Ratiroad company against whom sold been brought.

The following notaries public were commissioned today: Jonathan Fowler, Scuth Sioux City; T. W. Smith, University Place; B. W. Wolverton, Pierce; Julius Beckman, Fremont; W. W. Wade, Lincoln; G. B. Beveridge Auburn; Henry E. Rainey, Omana; eridge, Auburn, Henry E. Rainey, Omana; W. J. Trump, Lincoln.

The supreme court sat today and heard a number of motions during the forencon. No decisions were handed down during the farmers' spring work for which the ground day. It will matetrially interfere with the farmers' spring work for which the ground had only just got in good condition.

BENNINGTON, Neb., April 20.—(Special.)—A heavy rain from the southeast, accompanied by a strong wind, has been falling here since 4 o'clock this morning. This will delay seeding for a few days.

COLUMBUS, Neb., April 20.—(Special.)—It has been raining here since early this The supreme court sat today and heard

BRENNAN RELIEVED FROM BLAME. Jury Finds that Kinney's Death Was Not Due to Violence,

GRAND ISLAND, April 20 .- (Special.)-County Attorney Ashton, Coroner Hoge, Sheriff Dean and W. H. Thompson returned from Wood River at 7 o'clock last evening, where they had conducted the coroner's investigation into the cause of death of John Kinney, and where also Dr. Hoge of this city and Dr. Dullard and Dr. Kern of

At the inquest the physicians stated that they had made a careful examination of the brain of the deceased man and had found nothing whatever indicating that it had been injured from a blow. They had also examined the heart and ascertained that it was weak. It was also ascertained that the deceased had been somewhat of an invalid with kidney trouble and that the kidneys were in bad condition.

A grandson of the deceased, 10 years of age, testified that he had seen Brennan strike Kinney over the head with a plowshare, but stated that he was 150 yards away at the time. Brennan, while, he was Keckuk, 0.2. Fallen Christian, 1.2. Kinney at all. The coroner's jury con-0.8; Helena, 0.1; Arkansas City, 0.2; La Kinney at all. The coroner's jury con-Crosse, 0.2: Dubuque, 0.4; Memphis, 0.1; sisted of W. W. Mitchell, James Jackson, W. T. Spelts, D. Barrick, J. Jones and Jerry Bowen. After deliberating this jury brought in the verdict that the deceased had come to his death from cause unknown to the jury, but that death was not caused by violence, either directly or indirectly. Dr. Hoge and Dr. Dullard had stated on the witness stand that in their opinion the cause of death was kidney trouble and that leath was not caused by violence. Kern agreed to the latter, but would not state that the cause of death was the particular ailment mentioned.

WOOD RIVER, Neb., April 26,-(Special.) -The funeral of Kenney was held at the oman Catholic church yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LOSES HIS ILL-GOTTEN GAINS

August Klabunde, Who Turned Hi Father Out of His Home, Suffers. BENNINGTON, Neb., April 20 .- (Special.) -There is a new chapter in the story of the Klabunde family, which is disastrous to August Klabunde, who has been trying for some time to beat his father out of all of his earthly possessions. Last June August Klabunde, who has been holding certain real estate and personal property which was bequeathed to him by his mother with the provision in the will that he should care for the aged husband and father as long as he lived, became possessed with the opinion that it was unnecessary for him to longer provide for his father and so drove him from the place. The old man was sick at the time, but soon regained sufficient strength to apply to the courts for relief. At this time the young man, August Klabunde, became alarmed at the situation, thinking he would have to give up his horses and cattle to his father and so applied to his friend Herman Timme, sr., for advice. Timme at once advised him to give him (Timme) a chattel mortgage on the stock, which he did and then went home, feeling relieved to think he had accomplished his n getting the best of his father. During the last summer and fall. Timme became pushed for ready cash and turned this \$250 bogus mortgage over to Meyer & Raapke of Omaha gift of the Chaldean Greek church, of a scollateral for a bill which he owed them negotiable note for \$2,500, and of his since he was in the general merchandise busing credentials. Dr. Chamers Easton believed in him and helped him in his journey eastward. The collateral and the claim about \$125 per acre. They have since sold that on he displayed his knowledge of was long past fittle. Meyer & Raapke program about \$125 per acre. They have since sold Greek, and in Washington, D. C., at the ceeded to investigate their collateral and too early, he might have realized \$250 per acre. They have since sold too early, he might have realized \$250 per acre. They have since sold too early, he might have realized \$250 per acre. see what they had. They commenced fore-closure of the chattel mortgage and took possession of the horses and cattle which

Thomas McCo were sold here at constable sale inst Sat-urday by Constable Allen of Omaha. August Klabunde says the consideration of this bogus mortgage was to be \$94, but by a slip of Timme's pen it was made \$250 instead. Pub-lic sympathy is wish the old man. Guilty of Stealing Hides.

FREMONT, Neb. April 20.-(Special.)-In the districts qourt yesterday afternoon Frank Haines was found guilty of stealing wagon load of hicks from Turner & Hoebner. value of the property taken being fixed Haines admitted the theft. laimed the property was worth less than The hides were taken from a car near the old packing house and sold by Haines at Bush's hide house, on South Thirteenth street, Omaha. Haines is thought to be an old time thief.

District Court at Loup City. LOUP CITY, Neb., April 20.—(Special Tele gram.)-District court convened here this morning with Judge W. H. Thompson of Grand Island on the bench, who passed upon the cases in which Judge H. M. Suilivan was previously interested. Judge Sul-livan arrived at noon and took charge. There are 159 civil and nine criminal cases on the

Mayor's Appointments Are Confirmed. FREMONT, Neb., April 20.-(Special.-The new city council held its first meeting last night. Mayor Fried made the following appointments for the year, all of which were confirmed: Chief of police, S. F. Stiles; city ceremony. Those young people are well appointments for the year, all of which were this city.

attorney, R. J. Stinson; city engineer, J. W. Andrews; city physician, George H. Haslam; electric light and water commissioner.
A. C. Hull; chief of fire department, W. G. ST. LOUIS, April 20.—The river here has been almost stationary for the past twenty- Members of orthogocommittee Try to Settle city electrician, C. A. Anderson. The old members of the police force and employes at the water and electric light works were reappointed. There was no opposition to any of the appointees except the chief of police.

> RAINS ON THE NEWLY SOWN SEED. Heavy Showers Soften the Crust that

Had Formed on the Top. BATTLE CREEK, Neb., April 20.—(Spe-LINCOLN, April 20.—(Special.)—The legislative investigating committee met today, with all members remained to the property of committee met today.

since. It is a cold rain of about one and one-half inches at present, and will serve to cause the farmers to feel additionally disheartened. On the hills, most of them got their wheat and oats sowed, but many in the valleys did not get in the acreage that was contemplated.

The remains were taken to Table Hock tonight, where the funeral will be held Thursday. The Masonic fraternity, of which he was a member, will have charge of the funeral obscquies. His age was 28 years. was contemplated.

DUNCAN, Neb., April 20.—(Special.)—A

cold drizzling rain with a strong east wind set in here during last night. Up to 2 clock about an inch had fallen. CLARKS, Neb., April 20 .- (Special.)-It began raining about 2 o'clock last night and kept it up pretty steadily till 11 o'clock this morning. It is still cloudy and the indica-

tions point to still more rain. FREMONT, Neb., April 29.—(Special.)—It has rained here steadily nearly all day, the total precipitation being almost two inches. The ground is thoroughly soaked. Scarcely any grain is in the ground and but little plowing has been done. Winter wheat and rye are looking well and growing fast.
FAIRMONT, Neb., April 20.—(Special.)-

Farmers in this section are nearly all through sowing oats and some have commenced to plow for corn. It commenced to rain this morning at about 2 o'clock and has kept

up a steady rain ever since.

TEKAMAH, Neb., April 20.—(Special.)—
A heavy rain has fallen in this locality all day. It will materially interfere with the farmers' spring work for which the ground had only just got in good condition.

BENNINGTON, Neb., April 20.—(Special.)

A heavy rain from the southeast, accom-

It has been raining here since early this morning. It is a cold, hard pelting rain and will put the farm work back a few days.

Prairie Fire in Garfield County. BURWELL, Neb., April 20.-(Special.)-A terrible prairie fire has been raging north of town for the past few days and on Sunday when the wind rose to almost a gale have reached town, but it is certain that considerable hay has been destroyed. G. L. Gill's cave, close to his house was urned and it was only by heroic efforts that the balance of the property was saved. Several small barns are reported burned and

Thousand Acres for Hemp. COLUMBUS, Neb., April 20 .- (Special.)-M. Jerome, proprietor of the Hemp factory, has a force of fourteen men plowing and they are turning over a large amount of ground each day. He will put in over 1,000 acres of hemp this season. He has still enough o last year's hemp to keep the tow mill running until the 1st of July. This industry is fast becoming an important factor in Platte county, and Mr. Jerome, who has been en gaged in the business for many years, says the soil here is peculiarly adapted to this article. It is a fact that hemp will flourish like a green bay tree on soil where other

crops cannot do so well. Father's Inhuman Crime.

HARTINGTON, Neb., April 20 .- (Special Telegram.)-P. R. Hildebrand, living a few miles west of this place, was arrested and confined in the county jail today on the charge of incest with his 13-year-old daughter. The charge was brought by the girl herself and an older sister. Hildebrand was divorced from his wife, the mother of the girl, four years ago. It is reported that he has followed this unnatural and inhuman practice with his child for over two years.

Messplay Goes to the Asylum. YORK, Neb., April 20.-(Special.)-Frank Messplay, the eccentric character whose sensational story and testimony resulted in the conviction of William L. Lee for an attempt to murder a prominent York man, has een sent to the asylum for insane at Linoln. He was sometime ago adjudged to be nentally unbalanced, but owing to the Krolag, a fortune teller on West Ninth stress crowded condition at the asylum, he was not taken down until this noon. Messplay's de- wanted her professional services. While sh tusion is that some one is trying to take his

Alleges Crucky and Asks for Divorce. NEBRASKA CITY, April 20 .- (Special.)-Mrs. Blanche Goldie has commenced an action against her husband, W. R. Goldie, for divorce, afleging cruelty on his part. Goldie Harris, a tenant, came down stairs, proprietor of a retail shoe business and is Sheriff Huberle left for Hoyt, Kas., this evening in response to a telegram from that place stating that the team stolen from and her relative are badly injured. Fred Schrader of Berlin had been recovered

and the thief taken in custody. Makes a Success of Onions. NORTH LOUP, Neb., April 20 .- (Special.) -John Sheldon of this city has again put in lot of onions this season. Though he dis-

Thomas McCormick Disappears. NEBRASKA CITY, April 20.—(Special.)—
Thomas McCormick, an employe of the starch works, has been missing since the 4th inst. On that day he left his home to the morning as usual estensibly to go to the starch works as usual estensibly to go to the starch works. in the morning as usual, ostensibly to go to work, but has not been seen since, and it feared that he has been foully dealt with His wife is much concerned as to his disap-

Both Injured in a Ranaway. NEBRASKA CITY, April 20.-(Special.)-Frank Underwood, an employe of the Packng company, and his wife were injured in runaway this evening. The horse took right suddenly and, turning sharply, threw th occupants of the buggy violently Mrs. Underwood suffered ground. broken ribs and a number of severe brukes

Dies from a Fall from a Horse. WISNER, Neb., April 20.-(Special.) Henry Siegert, a young farmer of this vicinty, fell from his horse yesterday morning when returning from a social party in the eighborhood and received internal injuries from which he died this morning. He leaves

Hoss-Thurber. TECUMSEH, Neb., April 20.-(Special Telegram.)-At the Baptist parsonage in Sterling this afternoon occurred the wedding of Walter Ross, a young business man of Te-cumach, and Miss Mabel Thurber, also of known in this community and are the re cipicuts of many congratulations on the happy consummation of their courtship.

BRAKEMAN KILLED AT HIS WORK William Wood Falls Under a Freight

at Elk Creek.
TECUMSDH, Neb., April 20.—(Special Telegram.)-While making a coupling be tween the engine and cars on Burlington freight train No. 117, going north, at Elk Creek today, William Wood of Table Rock fell under the train, was run over by one wheel of the tender and suffered injuries which caused his death. As soon as Wood fell his mishap was discovered by the engi-

TWO NEW JUDGES FOR OMAHA

Governor Holcomb Names Two of the Three Municipal Court Bench. LINCOLN, April 20 .- (Special Telegram.) Governor Holcomb has made the following appointments for judges of the municipa court of the city of Omaba:

George A. Magney, for the long term. John D. Ware, for the intermediate term Third place, not named. The appointments were made yesterday be the governor left and were announced tonight.

Will Hasten Their Trial. COLUMBUS, Neb., April 20 .- (Special.)-A special venire was issued by the district clerk today to secure a jury to try Leonard and Ashbrook, the two strangers, charged with assault with intent to do great bodily injury. This is done in the interest of econas otherwise they would have to lie in fail at the expense of the county until he September term, when the regular panel would be drawn.

CHEROKEE BILL HAS AN AVENGER Captor of the Desperado Shot Down by the Outlaw's Brother.

ST. LOUIS, April 20,-A special to the Post-Dispatch from Fort Gibson, I. T., says: Ike Rogers, the man who captured Crawford Goldsby, alias Cherokee Bill, came in on the 10:30 train this forenoon and had only alighted on the platform when he was shot by Clarence Goldaby, a brother of the desperado. Not less than 200 persons were on the depot platform when the shooting day when the wind rese to almost a gale it spread over the country at a rapid rate burning almost to the town, being stopped only by the Loup river. Only meager reports have reached town, but it is certain that

it is feared that great damage has been done to other property. Nearly all of the wild fruit will be destroyed.

The Cherokee freedmen's payment is going on here and not less than 5,000 people are camped here. Rogers was a Cherokee negro wild fruit will be destroyed. and has been considered a peaceable citizen.
Clarence Goldsby, who did the shooting, is about 21 years old and has always been considered a peaceful, inoffensive boy. Excitement is pretty high, but no trouble has

Chang Fung, Chang Lang, Wang Yu and Pock. They are destined for Peru and will not leave until after the arrival of the rext

TWO MEN ROB A FORTUNE TELLER. secure Jewelry to the Value of Fiv-Thousand Dollars.

CINCINNATI, April 20.-Two elderly romen were knocked down and robbed in their home in this city by three men, who escaped with jewelry valued at \$5,000. Mrs. was reading the future for one of the men another struck her on the back of the head with a revolver. They then bound and gugged her and removed diamond rings and other jewelry to the value named. An old woman, a relative, hearing the struggle, can into the room and she was beaten head and rendered unconscious. I ordered under penalty of death to keep stil She escaped by a back door, while the bers went out the front way. Mrs. I

KINDERGARTEN TEACHERS UNION Distinguished Visitor Present from

Over the Sea. ST. LOUIS, April 20.-The second annual meeting of the International Kindergarten union opened this afternoon in the auditorium of the high school. Among the prominent people present is Baroness von Bulow of Dresden, Germany, who has taken up the educational work of her aunt, the late Baroness Marenholtz-Bulow, the founder of the modern kindergarten sys-

At the first session Mrs. M. Crouse of paper on 'Freedom and Law in Kindergarten.'

Big Bridge at New Orleans. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 20.-The Southern Pacific company is making arrangements to build a bridge to cost \$5,000,000 across the Mississippi river at New Orleans. The bridge will have double tracks and will cross the river about five miles above New Orleans.

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Rogers' body. Then the people crowded away and Goldsby fired three shots from a six-shooter into Rogers' head. He then picked up Rogers' rife and ran under the car to the other side. About fifty shots were exchanged between him and the crowd, only one ball taking effect, it striking a colored man in the face and inflicting a painful but not fatal wound.

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CHINESE MINISTER STARTS EAST.

WIII Pass Through Omaha Enroute to Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Minister Wing Tu Fang and all but two of his suite left last night for Washington. They travel in regal style. At Ogden they will go over the Union Pacific, the subsequent route being over the Chicago & Northwestern and Pennsylvania lines to Washington. From Chicago eastward they will travel in a special train over the Pennsylvania. Although Ho Yoh, who has acred as the minister's major domo, left with the party, he will return to assume the post of consul general here. His selection is one which has greatly pleased friends with all factions and assisted materially in the settlement of differences. Several other members of the legation will roturn with him. Those who remain are Chang Fung, Chang Lang, Wang Yu and Pock. They are destined for Peru and will not leave until after the arrival of the rext.

AMUSEMENTS.

CHARITY BALL FOR THE BENEFIT OF

The Visiting Nurses' Ass'n. At the Millard Hotel

Thursday Eve., April 22.

Tickets for sale at First National bank Commercial National bank -residence of Mrs. McKenna, 415 N. 20th street.

DR. TALMAGE TO COME TO OMAHA **Next Tuesday Evening** Boyd's Theater Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, D. D., Will Address a Great Mass Meeting.

Me will tell of the awful famine in India, where the people are dying at the rate of thirty-three thousand ner day. He has traveled in India and will give a grapate picture of the condition of the people in that wonderful country. It certainly will be a great freat to the people of our place to hear this great man on this great thing.

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